

## Declaration and Power of Attorney for a Patent Application

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the specification of which:

..... is attached hereto, or  
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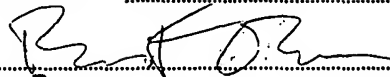
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